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FOR FORMING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE USING THE SAME

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Sir:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

Responsive to the Official Action dated March 21, 2006, reconsideration is respectfully requested for at least the following reasons (note that this amendment should be entered because the only change to the claims is a correction of a typographical error in claim 12).